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C O N F I D E N T I A L MOGADISCIO 1518

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PBOR, OAU, SO, ET
SUBJ: GARBA VISIT INCONCLUSIVE

1. WE HAVE TRIED TO DISCERN WITH LITTLE SUCCESS WHAT TRANS-PIRED DURING NIGERIAN COMMISSIONER FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS JOSEPH GARBA'S BRIEF JULY 2 VISIT TO MOGADISCIO. THE ONLY AUTHORITATIVE VIEW WE HAVE IS THE OBSERVATION BY MFA DIRECTOR GENERAL MOHAMED SHERIF TO THE CHARGE THAT GARBA HAD NO NEW PROPOSALS TO MAKE. MOHAMED SAID THE VISIT WAS IN PREPARATION FOR THE OAU SESSIONS, BUT HE SAID HE DOUBTED THERE WOULD BE MUCH IF ANY MOVEMENT SINCE THERE WAS NO EXPECTATION THAT THE ETHIOPIANS WOULD MODIFY THEIR POSITION.
2. THE SOMALI POSITION ON NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE ETHIOPIANS WAS SET FORTH ON RADIO MOGADISCIO ON JULY 3. THE COMMENTARY INCLUDES THE STANDING SOMALI POINTS: WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN TROOPS FROM THE HORN, AND SELF DETERMINATION FOR THE "COLONIZED PEOPLES OF WESTERN SOMALIA".
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